

What have we been up to this week?

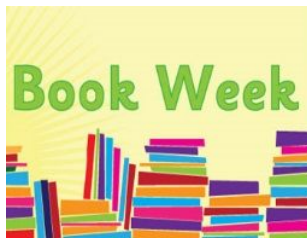
- This week in prep we have been summarising the stories we have read. We worked in cooperative groups to come up with a summary statement for the Gingerbread Man.
- The Coon Toastie Truck came on Wednesday. The toasties were delicious and the Kids thought it was awesome. A big thank you to the PA and all the parent helpers.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 3

Monday 19th August - Book Week Dress up Day
 Tuesday 27th August - Father's Day stall

BOOK WEEK DRESS UP

On Monday the 19th of August will be our whole school book week dress up. We ask all students to come dressed as their favourite book character.



SCIENCE EXPO

This week we visited the Grade 3 and 4 science expo in the gym. We all enjoyed learning about water density, floating and sinking, and chemical reactions. We spent the afternoon with our mateship groups and conducted different experiments.



PARENT HELPERS IN THE CLASSROOM

Today we will hand out a roster for parent helpers in the classroom. We are all looking forward to having our parents help us out.

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EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

Just a little bit late doesn't seem much but...

He/She is only missing just...	That equals...	Which is...	over 18 years of schooling. That's...
10 minutes per day	60 minutes per week	Nearly 1.6 weeks per year	Nearly HALF A YEAR
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 minutes per week	Nearly 2.8 weeks per year	Nearly 1 YEAR
Half an hour per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 AND A HALF YEARS
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Nearly 2 AND A HALF YEARS

Did you know your child's best learning time is the start of the school day?
 That's when every minute counts the most!

STARS OF THE WEEK

(Presented on Monday the 19th of August at Assembly)

Prep Mac: Archer HG For always trying his best with his take home words and reading books.

Prep F: Kade E For doing a great job stretching out unknown words.

MIOOW Certificate

- Jeremy Foo
- Cooper Henry
- Kaden D'Abico
- Aisha Ross
- Luca R
- Emma White

<p><u>LITERACY</u></p> <p><u>Sounds</u> e as in egg h as in house</p> <p><u>Writing</u> Word choice</p> <p><u>Reading</u> inferring</p>	<p><u>MATHS</u></p> <p>Shapes and objects</p>
<p><u>INTEGRATED STUDIES</u></p> <p>We are looking at social justice and what it feels like when something is unfair.</p>	<p><u>VALUES</u></p> <p>Respect being a kind and fair friend</p>

School information

Don't forget to check out the whole school newsletter for information about all school activities